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To Whom It May Concern,

I'm totally against the DOJ's proposed settlement...and very surprised and disgusted with Mr. Ashcroft's decision to completely reverse the prior administrations' years of hard work by abandoning the case against Microsoft.

Joseph Klein did his job very well, has integrity and dedication which is absent in the current top job in the DOJ.

Judge Jackson was correct in finding Microsoft guilty of anti-competitive business practices, among other things. Even the Court of Appeals unanimously agreed with his findings of fact, -that Microsoft is a monopoly, and illegally maintains a monopoly.

Now the DOJ suddenly abandon's it's case? This, after winning???

John Ashcroft DOES NOT REPRESENT ME, nor do I believe he has the best interests of consumers (the world over, NOT just in the United States) in mind. He is either a foolish man, or a very naïve one if he believes that any "agreement" with Microsoft can be effectively enforced. Has Mr. Ashcroft no familiarity with the prior "agreement" between Microsoft and the DOJ? It seems he is completely ignorant of Microsoft's history and business practices.

I support the States who must now assume the burden of performing the DOJ's job.

Mr. Ashcroft, do you have any idea what this world will be like in the future, after Microsoft controls everything in the computing world?

I hope you realize what you've done.

Respectfully,

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(a voter)